



DISTRICT NEWS

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Fourth Weekly Open Forum - April 17

I have added a few new people to this list, as I've discovered that I'm missing quite a few names/email addresses. I don't use this newsletter very often, but I'm trying to make sure everyone who is interested hears about the Open Forums.

Every Friday, I open my Zoom room to anyone who wants to drop in and chat with other library staffers. There is no set agenda, no slides and no official state news. This is a time for you to talk about whatever you want and share what is going on in your library life.

The next session will be this Friday, April 17 from 10:00-11:00 in my Zoom room. <https://zoom.us/j/4091922361> Headsets or some type of microphone/speaker combo will be important. This can be "come as you are" so if you are home, great! If you are at work, that's fine too! Interruptions by children and pets will be welcome. I would like this to be pretty free and open, but I will have a few conversation starters, if we run out of steam. I'd like to offer it every week, until we don't need it any more. Remember, this is for you to talk with other directors about whatever you are dealing with.

I love that you are all helping each other, as we navigate these murky waters. So, thanks to those who participated in the past few weeks and welcome to those I hope to see Friday.

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